

THE BARON AND HIS GIRL

Advertises for a Wife, Receives an Answer to His Proposal From a German Girl.

She Comes to Helena But Finds Out She Has Been Deceived and Finds Work.

The Baron Still Has Hopes of Winning a Bride Who is Obdurate and Hard Hearted to Him.

Baron Van Schiroeten is a noted character in Montana. He is an old timer, having landed at Virginia City twenty-three years ago. The baron had no money but a great deal of pride. He came to Helena and took up a ranch about eleven miles from the city. The baron had nothing to commence life with except a good constitution. He had been fired from home and friends, and his people had just given him enough money to live on comfortably, and being a little wiser than his people, concluded to take up a ranch and live there the remainder of his days. The baron was a lusty young man when he reached Montana but excesses soon brought him down to a shadow. He had a number of friends, however, who induced him to brace up. They told him the best thing he could do was to get married. The baron promised to think about it and did think about it for twenty years.

Last year the baron noticed a few girls in his beard, and in conversation with his friends told them that he was getting old and would marry if he could find some one to love him. It was suggested that he advertise for a wife, and he did so in a Berlin paper. He represented himself to be a rich Montanian with a large fortune in search of an educated woman for his wife. He received a number of answers, but none pleased him so well as that from a Miss Hansen. Photographs were exchanged, the baron sending one that was taken twenty years ago. He was a fine looking young man at that time and with his officer's uniform presented a handsome appearance.

Miss Hansen was a young lady with a good education who was wearing out her life as a governess, and when she saw the baron's advertisement for a wife she answered it and sent her photograph. Her beauty took the baron's heart by storm. A correspondence ensued and the baron became enraptured with the young lady's letters. They were exchanged and finally sent her money to come to Helena. She came and the baron was at the depot to meet her. She had treasured a photograph of a handsome young military man, and was on the lookout for a man of that kind when the train pulled into Helena, but she didn't find him.

The baron is old and rugged and grey. He dresses in a slovenly and unbecoming manner, and is not the most prepossessing individual imaginable. He recognized Miss Hansen from her photograph and rushed up expecting to be embraced, but she fixed him with a strong glare and told him in her choicest German that she would have nothing to do with such a disreputable looking person. The baron was heart sore, but he managed to convey to the disenchanted girl that he was the same baron whose picture she was treasuring, although he had grown a little older. The baron was courteous and took the young lady to a hotel, and the next day introduced her to a number of his German friends as his intended.

But the young lady was disenchanted and flatly refused to marry the baron when he pressed his suit. She came to America to marry a handsome young man and she would not marry a man with both feet in grave. Being short of funds the highly educated young German girl advertised for a position as a servant and procured one. She is now doing work as a second girl in a house on Rodney street.

The baron has quit his ranch and spends his days in the city. He has doffed his ranch clothes and donned his uniform and every day rides by the house which holds his lady love. She comes out occasionally with a broom and dust pan in her hand, but does not cast a look upon her adoring swain. She is obdurate and the baron is heart broken. The baron is chaffed by his friends and takes it good naturedly. He says he will yet win her.

Wooden furniture for children cheap at The Bee Hive.

Buy your wedding and birthday presents at The Bee Hive.

Congregational Church Social.

The ladies of the Congregational church will hold a social to-night at the home of Mrs. Gardner on Benton avenue. A cordial invitation is extended to every one. Miss Isabel Mosher, who sang so acceptably last Sunday at the Congregational church, has consented to sing during the evening and will appear in the following programme for the evening:

Piano Duett.....Mr. May and Mrs. Kelsey.
Vocal Duett.....Mr. Higgins and Mrs. Mosher.
Piano Solo.....Miss Mosher.
Song.....Miss Mosher.
Baritone Solo.....Mr. Higgins.
Male Quartette.....Messrs. Burgess, Higgins, Appleton and Jackson.

You can get a fine Holy picture nicely framed under glass for \$1 at The Bee Hive.

Ladies' medicated red woolen underwear only \$1 at The Bee Hive.

Water Company Election.

The stockholders of the Helena Consolidated Water company met yesterday and elected officers for the year as follows:

President—W. A. Chessman.

Vice-President—A. J. Davidson.

Secretary—John B. Clayberg.

Assistant Secretary—C. J. Tooker.

Treasurer—S. T. Hauser.

Superintendent—T. J. Stever.

Directors—T. C. Power, Geo. Woolston, W. A. Chessman, J. B. Clayberg and A. J. Davidson.

Ladies should call at Fred Gamers' and get a pair of slippers, as he is selling them at a very low figure.

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Private Hansen, of the Salvation Army, denies that he has been ejected from the ranks. He is still a soldier of the cross and will fight the good fight until he wins. Mr. Hansen says there is no trouble in the army and the person who says there is lies.

Information Wanted.

A liberal reward will be paid by the undersigned leading to the information or whereabouts of Emil Frank, of Colfax, Washington, or for the recovery of his body.

GANS & KLEIN, Helena, Mont.

Buy your little girl a clock and get the discount this week only at The Bee Hive.

Another new and beautiful line of framed pictures just received at The Bee Hive.

Dr. Dogge.

Diseases of women a specialty. Sixth avenue and Main street.

CRUEL CARELESSNESS.

A Cab Company Horse Killed by Reckless Driving.

One of the Cab company's horses dropped dead last evening in front of the First National bank. "Doc" Wilson, the driver of a hack to which the horse was attached, was coming up Main street with a load of passengers for the Cosmopolitan hotel. When he was near the Iron Front building some unknown person drove a single horse in a two wheel cart down the street at a very rapid gait. He ran into the cab horse, one of the shafts of the two wheeled cart passing in the mare's breast a distance of more than twelve inches. The horse did not wince. The man in the cart backed up and drove away. The hack driver was not aware of the damage done the mare, but continued the drive to the hotel, about four blocks distant. His passengers alighted and Wilson turned the team around and drove down the street, stopping in front of the First National Bank, where the mare dropped dead. There was a long stream of blood from the Iron Front building to the Cosmopolitan, but as it was dark no one noticed it, and it was considered remarkable that the animal traveled so far after receiving such a wound. The mare was valued at \$400.

There is a great rush for those beautiful plush and leather albums at The Bee Hive. Call early and see the assortment.

AL WELLS'S DEATH.

Details of the Tragic End of a Well-Known Man.

John D. Ripley came in from Radersburg yesterday and brings information of the tragic death of Al Wells, who committed suicide at about 10 o'clock last Sunday morning at his ranch near Toston. He had been suffering from melancholy for a week or so and his companions noticed that his mind was somewhat disordered. He imagined that men were after him to hang him. These attacks were intermittent and it was thought they would pass off without any serious results. On Sunday morning he was around talking to the men on the place. Leaving them he went directly to his room, got his revolver, pointed the muzzle toward his forehead, and fired the fatal shot. Death resulted almost instantly. The shot was heard and the alarm given, but he was beyond human aid.

The deceased was a native of Connecticut and was 43 years of age. He went to Radersburg in 1860 and has always resided there except when he filled the position of clerk of the district court at Boulder, a position he held for eleven years. He was unmarried and well-to-do and leaves a brother, Frank Wells, at Radersburg.

Girls' Girls' Girl!
Will sell you this week only small sizes of kid gloves at \$1 per pair; former price, \$1.75 and \$2.
HELENA COSMET AND KID GLOVE PARLORS.

THE WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY.

A Public Reception to be Tendered its President.

The directors of the Wesleyan University met Wednesday to hear reports on the progress of the college building, and particularly to make arrangements for a grand public reception, which will be accorded Rev. Dr. F. P. Tower, the new president of the university, who was duly inducted into his new position by the trustees. Next Tuesday is the time set for the reception and the Methodist church the place. Gov. Toole, Col. Sanders, Rev. F. D. Kelsey and President Tower will deliver addresses. The college building is about completed the roof now being placed on it. The building as it stands cost about \$30,000 and will cost \$10,000 more to furnish it. It will last be opened before next September, and during the interval efforts will be made to procure needed funds.

Buy your fine chinaware at The Bee Hive.

Ribbons at your own price to close out at The Bee Hive.

Commendable.

All claims not consistent with the high character of Syrup of Figs are purposely avoided by the California Fig Syrup company. It acts gently on the kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the system effectually, but it is not a cure-all and makes no pretensions that every bottle will not substantiate.

PERSONAL.

Major W. W. Alderson of Bozeman is in town.

Wm. Mayger, of Marysville, was in town yesterday.

Mr. R. D. Widmeyer, of Kolla, Dak., is at the Pacific.

Miss Anna Dillon, of Marysville, is visiting the city.

Senator D. J. Hennessy, of Butte, was in the city yesterday.

S. W. Goodman and wife of Philadelphia, are guests of the Grand Central.

Warden S. J. Reynolds of the "pen," came up from Deer Lodge yesterday.

Dr. Ernest Crutcher, of Great Falls, was in the city yesterday en route to Butte.

Fred D. Chamberlain of Spokane Falls, Geo. McKay of Anaconda, are at the Cosmopolitan.

J. C. Schmidt, Madison, Wis.; R. F. Carney, Annapolis, Md.; and Geo. V. Lewis, Newark, N. J.; are registered at the Pacific.

M. M. Kinney, of Cleveland, Chas. A. Pearson, of Wallace, and Frank O. Davis, O. Davis, of New Chicago, are at the Merchants.

Try It.

Try our best patent flour, the best in the market, and Whittaker Star brand, at JOHN T. MURPHY & CO.'S.

Prevention Better Than Cure.

If the germs of typhoid fever are in the water supply of the city, we advise everybody to use water for washing purposes only. Drink a glass of pure wine or St. Louis beer with your meals; it promotes digestion, and is a sure preventive against any contagious disease. We sell our wine at water rates. Just think of it, a bottle of pure, wholesome claret or white wine for 10 cents.

BOESMANN BROS & CO., Corner Clure and Edward streets, Telephone No. 241.

Lamps of all description very cheap at The Bee Hive.

HELENA IN BRIEF.

G. W. Jackson, music dealer.

Dinner from 12 to 5 at the Bon Ton.

James W. Barker, merchant tailor, Main street, opposite First National bank.

Go east via the Montana Central and Manitoba railways, the new sleeping and dining car route to St. Paul and the east. Through trains leave Helena daily at 11:35 a. m.

FOR SALE.

NEW LINE OF CATHOLIC PRAYER BOOKS at Calkins & Featherly's.

TWO GOOD WORK TEAMS AND TWO FINE brood mares, with wagons and harness complete. Montana Granite Co., Wm. Harrison, proprietor.

A NEW HARD COAL STOVE AT 711 FIFTH avenue.

TWO BEST LOTS IN EAST HELENA, opposite Northern Pacific depot. Terms reasonable. Inquire at East Helena hotel.

SALOON AND DWELLING HOUSE AND one empty lot for sale in Victor Ritter Road, at a bargain. Call at once. Harry P. Snodmeyer, Missoula.

A TEAM OF YOUNG HORSES, DELIVERY wagon and harness. Enquire of Bach, Cory & Co.

A FIRST-CLASS 12-HORSE POWER AUTOMOBILE engine will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at this office.

OLD PAPERS AT THIS OFFICE.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

GIRLS FOR PLACES AND PLACES FOR GIRLS. Apply at the Capital Employment Office, 212 Lawrence street.

5 GOOD HOUSE GIRLS WANT WORK. Chandler has their address.

HOUSE GIRLS FOR PRIVATE FAMILIES. Apply at Capital Employment office, 212 Lawrence st.

LADY TO HANDLE THE DEL MONICO COOK Book. Handsome incomes being made by those now at work on it. Five hundred thousand copies will be sold. Liberal terms to good party. Address for particulars, Charles L. Webster & Co., Minneapolis, Minn. Send for canvasser's catalogue.

LADY AGENTS FOR CHILD'S REFORM Waists; Skirt-Bustle Substitute, Baby Diaper Supporter, etc. New goods. Our agent at Austin, Minn., made \$75 in ten days. Ladies Supply Co., 287 Washington street, Chicago.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

MAN WANTED. 440; 20 WOODCHOPPERS, 40 railroad laborers, \$2.25; salesman, \$75; 2 young men, city, \$60. Eureka Employment Agency.

CHANDLER WANTS A FOUR-HORSE TEAM—ster, 440; 3 choppers, \$40; 2 bullwhackers, \$40; blacksmith, \$60.

BLACKSMITH—MAN FOR EASY JOB. who can make, \$25; 25; man cook \$50. Chandler, next door beyond Lindsay's.

A GOOD BARBER. ADDRESS R. RADE-feld, box 819, Anaconda, Mont.

WOULD LIKE TO GIVE A FRENCH WOMAN home, so as to be assisted in the language. Address Box 958, city.

SALESMAN WANTED IN THIS DISTRICT. One of our men earned \$1,600 in '88 and \$2,200 in '89 and is doing better this year. P. O. Box 1,571, New York.

GENTLEMEN TO REPRESENT US IN THIS city and country. Our books are the best in the world. Liberal arrangements made with good party. Address Chas. L. Webster & Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

SITUATIONS—MISCELLANEOUS.

Advertisements under this head three times FREE.

BY A WHITE MAN AND WIFE. STRICTLY first class; a rare chance for competent help. Address G. C. Cook, this office.

SEWING OF ANY KIND TO DO AT MY home, good dressmaker. Call at 542, Spencer street.

THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE HAS A NUMBER of girls for all kinds of work.

BY YOUNG MAN AS CLERK IN GENTS' furnishing store. Address S. T. C., this office.

A SWEDISH GIRL JUST ARRIVED FROM the old country wishes to do general housework; cannot speak English. Address 251 North Main street.

BY GERMAN GIRL. BY SWEDISH GIRL BY Irish girl. Inquire of Chandler.

BY A YOUNG MAN. TO DO CHORES FOR his board while going to school. Address S. H. C., this office.

BY COMPETENT DRESSMAKER IN SHOP. Address 917 Eighth avenue.

MARRIED LADY, 35 YEARS OLD, WANTS a position as working housekeeper in lodging house or hotel; is competent to take charge; references if required. Address soon to Mrs. G. W. McFarlin, corner Cedar and Third, Anaconda, Mont.

AN ENERGETIC YOUNG MAN WOULD like to manage a small business in any capacity, local and state store preferred; wife could assist if necessary. Address E. G., this office.

BY A PRACTICAL MACHINIST AND LICENSED engineer; can set up any machinery or take care of electric light plant. Address Engineer, P. O. Box 971.

SEWING IN PRIVATE FAMILIES BY DAY. Address 542 Spencer street.

LIGHT WORK OF ANY KIND WANTED BY a young man; expert penman. Remuneration a secondary consideration. Address F. F. G., this office.

SITUATIONS—MISCELLANEOUS.

A THOROUGHLY FIRST-CLASS COOK wages \$30 per month. Apply Room 2, Granite Block, Main street.

DINING-ROOM GIRL, MAN COOK, LAUNDRY girl; five choppers, best job in country; two carpenters; five girls want places. Chandler.

IN EVERY TOWN IN THE NORTHWEST, AN agent to sell well-advertised goods on a good commission. No trouble and big money. For particulars, address Q. D. Bray, P. O. Box 203, Butte, Mont.

BY AN EXPERIENCED HORSE TAMER, fifty horses to break to saddle and harness at \$10 each. Particulars desired; horses broken may address W. T. M., East Helena.

LADY AGENTS ALSO MEN; TWO IMMENSE new specialties. One lady made \$27 before dinner; another \$16 first hour. Address Little & Co., box 448 Chicago, Ill.

FOR RENT—DWELLINGS.

5-ROOM HOUSE IN SOUTH EIGHTH street, \$25, Baker & Co., The Fair.

A FOUR-ROOM HOUSE, FURNISHED OR unfurnished; 712, Eighth avenue.

COMFORTABLE FIVE-ROOM DWELLING. L. F. LaFroix, Pittsburgh Block.

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8-ROOM FURNISHED HOUSE, CENTRAL, modern improvements; on one of the best streets, west side; will make a nice home for this winter. Matheson & Steele, 129 1/2 Main street.

A FIVE-ROOM HOUSE ON THE CORNER of Clancy and Rodney streets, No. 505. Rent, \$27; with a good yard; newly papered all over. Address John A. Quirk, box 287, city.

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SIX AND SEVEN ROOM HOUSES, ALL MOD-ern improvements. Inquire of J. S. Featherly.

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MONEY TO LOAN.

TO LOAN BY H. R. PALMER. SEE ADVERTISEMENT on the fourth page.

MONEY TO LOAN UPON HELENA REAL estate upon reasonable terms. Apply to Edward C. Russell, room 6, Thompson block, Helena, Mont.

LARGE AMOUNTS OF MONEY TO LOAN on improved and unimproved city real estate and on ranches at low rates. C. F. Ellis & Co., insurance agents, real estate agents, mortgage loans.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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TO PURCHASE A SECOND-HAND FIRE-proof safe. Must be in good condition. Send particulars to R. H. Sawyer, Moreland, Mont.

WANTED—ONE HUNDRED HEAD OF horses or cattle, to be fed this winter, good pasture, clover and hay, near town. Inquire of Dr. N. Salvisil.

TO CORRESPOND WITH PARTIES WHO can furnish addresses of citizens residing in their localities, country, villages and towns under 10,000 population. Regarding price paid and other particulars, address Box 419, Topeka, Kansas.

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